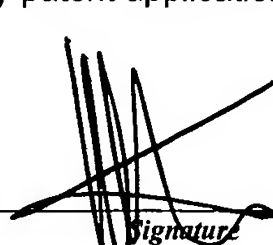

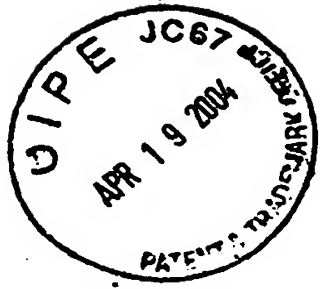


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Honorable Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the above-identified application be amended as indicated on the following pages.

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